PATENT Attorney Docket No. 223592

### IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Andriessen

Art Unit: Unassigned

Application No. Unassigned

Examiner: Unassigned

Filed: July 28, 2003

For:

NANO-POROUS METAL OXIDE SEMICONDUCTOR

SPECTRALLY SENSITIZED WITH METAL OXIDE

CHALCOGENIDE NANO-PARTICLES

## **CLAIM OF PRIORITY**

Mail Stop Patent Application Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 35 USC 119, Applicant claims the priority of the following application:

Application No. 02102130.8, filed in Europe on August 13, 2002.

A certified copy of the above-listed priority document is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

Christopher T. Griffith, Reg. No. 33,392 LEYDIG, VOIT & MAYER, LTD.

Two Prudential Plaza, Suite 4900

180 North Stetson

Chicago, Illinois 60601-6780 Telephone: (312) 616-5600 Facsimile: (312) 616-5700

Date: July 28, 2003

THE PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE IS RESPECTFULLY REQUESTED TO PLACE ITS STAMP ON THIS POSTAL CARD AND PLACE IT IN THE OUTCOING MAIL TO SHOW THE FOLLOWING PAPERS HAVE BEEN RECEIVED.

Mailed: July 28, 2003

Çī'G/vns

Client: Agfa-Gevært LVM Reference: 223592

NEW PATENT APPLICATION

NEW PATENT APPLICATION
"NANO-POROUS METAL OXIDE SEMICONDUCTOR SPECTRALLY SENSITIZED WITH METAL OXIDE CHALCOGENIDE NANO-PARTICLES" (Andriessen) Enclosed:

Utility Patent Application Transmittal with Certificate of Express Mailing and authorizations charge fee to deposit account (2 pages in duplicate)
Application Deposits Seet (2 pages)

Specification, Claims, and Abstract (19 pages)

Drawing (1 page)

Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney signed by inventor (3 pages)

Claim of Priority (1 page) with certified copy of EP 02102130.8

Information Disclosure Statement (4 pages in duplicate) with Form 1449 (1 page) and copies of cited references (AA-AG)

Return Postcard

Express Mail: EV 329753022 US

17302 U.S. 1070

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING OR TRANSMISSION UNDER 37 CFR 1.8			
I hereby certify that this Response to Office Action and all accompanying documents are, on the date indicated below, \( \subseteq \) being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, or \( \subseteq \) being facsimile transmitted to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, Attention: Examiner Ling X. Xu, Art Unit 1775, Facsimile Number 571-273-1546.			
Name (Print/Type)	Elizabeth J. Eich		
Signature	Elizabeth J. Ein	Date	October 1, 2004

LAW OFFICES

# LEYDIG, VOIT & MAYER, LTD.

TWO PRUDENTIAL PLAZA, SUITE 4900 180 NORTH STETSON AVENUE CHICAGO, ILLINOIS 60601-6780

TELEPHONE: (312) 616-5600

FACSIMILE: (312) 616-5700 (G3)

(312) 849-0495 (G4)

### FACSIMILE COVER SHEET

DATE: OCTOBER 26, 2004

NUMBER OF PAGES (INCLUDING

THIS TRANSMITTAL COVER SHEET): 6

TIME:

OUR REFERENCE: 223592

FROM: CHRISTOPHER T. GRIFFITH REGISTRATION No. 33,392

To:

EXAMINER LING X. XU

GROUP 1775

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

WASHINGTON, D.C.

TELEPHONE NUMBER:

FACSIMILE NUMBER: 571-273-1546

IN RE APPLN. OF:

**ANDRIESSEN** 

APPLICATION NO.

10/628,618

FILED:

JULY 28, 2003

For:

NANO-POROUS METAL OXIDE SEMICONDUCTOR

SPECTRALLY SENSITIZED WITH METAL OXIDE

CHALCOGENIDE NANO-PARTICLES

GROUP ART UNIT:

1775

EXAMINER:

LING X. XU

#### ATTACHED PLEASE FIND THE FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS:

SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT (2 PGS.)

CLAIM OF PRIORITY (1 PG.)

COPY OF FIRST PAGE OF CERTIFIED PRIORITY DOCUMENT (1 PG.)

COPY OF POSTCARD RECEIPT FOR CERTIFIED PRIORITY DOCUMENT (1 PG.)

A confirmation copy of the transmitted document will:

Not be sent. This will be the only form of delivery of the transmitted document.

The information contained in this facsimile transmission is intended only for the use of the individual or entity named above and those properly entitled to access to the information and may contain information that is privileged, confidential, and/or exempt from disclosure under applicable law. If the reader of this transmission is not the intended or an authorized recipient, you are hereby notified that any unauthorized distribution, dissemination, or duplication of this transmission is prohibited. If you have received this transmission in error, please immediately notify us by telephone or facsimile. Thank you.